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ARGENTINA PROJECT (S200000044)

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Margaret P. Grafeld, Director

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H PASS : HONORABLE JOHN W. WYDLER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
WASHINGTON D C

E.O. 12065: NA  
TAGS: SHUM, AR  
SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE:  
DISAPPEARANCE OF DIEGO BARREDA (519/78/9)

DECONTROL

1. THANK YOU FOR YOUR INQUIRY ON BEHALF OF  
[REDACTED] REGARDING THE DISAPPEARANCE  
OF DIEGO BARREDA. ON OCTOBER 16 THE FOREIGN  
OFFICE'S WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN RIGHTS INFORMED  
THIS EMBASSY THAT THE ARGENTINE GOVERNMENT HAD  
NO INFORMATION REGARDING THE WHEREABOUTS OF MR.  
BARREDA. THE BARREDA FAMILY HAS RECENTLY  
INFORMED US THAT HE HAS REAPPEARED IN VILLA DEVOTO  
PRISON IN BUENOS AIRES AND HAS BEEN  
VISITED BY THE FAMILY.

2. MRS. BARREDA INFORMED US ON DECEMBER 14  
THAT HER SON DOES NOT WISH TO PRESENT A REQUEST  
FOR THE RIGHT OF OPTION TO LEAVE ARGENTINA, AS HE EXPECTS  
THAT HE WILL BE FREED IN THE NEAR FUTURE AS  
HE IS INNOCENT.

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3. WE WILL KEEP YOU INFORMED OF ANY FURTHER  
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4. SINCERELY YOURS, RAUL CASTRO, AMBASSADOR.

5. DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT.  
CASTRO

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